HOUSE RESOLUTION 108 By Bowers

A RESOLUTION to congratulate Giovanni N. Dortch for outstanding work as an intern.

WHEREAS, throughout the course of each legislative session, there have emerged certain individuals who far exceed the basic requirements set forth for them to follow; and

WHEREAS, Giovanni Dortch has distinguished herself as one such individual through her work as a legislative intern for Representatives Kathryn Bowers and Henri Brooks; her efforts have resulted in untold benefits for the members she served and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a highly regarded student at the University of Memphis, Giovanni Dortch has excelled both academically and in extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, since 1994, Giovanni Dortch has been an enthusiastic participant in the Tennessee Pre-Law Fellowship Program; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Dortch is an active participant in numerous school organizations, including the University of Memphis Black Student Association, the Campus Democrats and the Pre-Law Society; and

WHEREAS, she has also won several awards and accolades, including the Girl Scouts of the USA Award, the J.C. Penney Golden Rule Award and the Youth Service of Memphis' Bridge Builders Volunteer of the Year Award; and

WHEREAS, Giovanni Dortch has served with acumen and alacrity on the Youth Board of the United Way of the Mid-South; and



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WHEREAS, during the 1997 legislative session, Giovanni has exceeded all standards with regard to the qualities that are expected of a dedicated and competent legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, eager to learn more about the intricacies and idiosyncrasies of Tennessee state government and to aid in her studies, Giovanni Dortch brought her many skills to the State Capitol for the 1997 session of the One-Hundredth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, Giovanni Dortch has performed her many responsibilities with extraordinary intelligence and alacrity; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we hereby commend Giovanni N. Dortch for outstanding service as a legislative intern and wish Giovanni much success in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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